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Yamazaki et al.)
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For: Semiconductor Device And)
Fabrication Method Thereof)
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ELECTION

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement of October 2, 2001, Applicants elect to prosecute Group II: Claims 29-52 in the above-identified application. Applicants are making this election without prejudice to later filing a divisional application on the non-elected claims.


The Examiner also states that there are four separate embodiments within these claims but did not identify such embodiments. If the Examiner wishes for Applicants to elect a species or an embodiment, Applicants request that he identify the various embodiments for which he wishes an election to be made.

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